

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>REQUEST FOR INFORMATION OR CLARIFICATION</b> <b>No. 10</b></p>
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**Date:** December 1, 2004

**Project:** Visitor Support Facility, SLIC 004321  
Slickrock National Recreation Area, Oklahoma

**Contract No.:** C3000004904

**To:** Anita B. Trained, COR, DSC-DC

**From:** Omar Gosh, Speciality Constructors, Inc.

**Specification Reference:**

**Drawing Reference:** SK4

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**DESCRIPTION**

The special dimensioned LTA1 truss anchors shown on the revised detail sketch SK4 are not available from Simpson Strong Tie in the dimensions specified. Will a truss anchor which attaches the truss to the 2x8 wood plate at the top of the of the masonry wall meet structural requirements (i.e. Simpson HGA10)? This truss anchorage will eliminate the need to break the 2x8 wood plates into 4'-0" segments.

Please respond at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

**Response required by:** December 15, 2004

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**RESPONSE**

**Date:** December 6, 2004

**To:** Omar Gosh, Speciality Constructors, Inc.

**Through:** Anita B. Trained, COR, DSC-DC, and I.C. Awl, CM Services, Inc.

**From:** Rich Enwelloff, Architects & Engineers, Inc.

**Subject:** Response to RFI #10

We checked with Simpson. To make a special run of this connection one would have to submit production drawings to their quote department to determine the feasibility first. Since that is the case, we have prepared revised details.

The revision shows attaching the trusses at 4'-0 using a steel angle on each side, with a 5/8" anchor bolt set into the masonry at each angle and one or two 5/8" through bolts through the bottom chord of the truss.

See attached revised details (2 pages).